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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: LAUS *et al.*

APPLICATION NO.: 09/402,845

FILED: MARCH 14, 2000

FOR: **COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR INDUCING AN  
IMMUNE RESPONSE AGAINST TUMOR-RELATED  
ANTIGENS**

EXAMINER: UNGAR, SUSAN NMN

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals from the decision of the Examiner dated March 11, 2003, rejecting claims 1, 4, and 23-26.

The items checked below are appropriate:

Fee for Notice of Appeal (37 C.F.R. §1.17(b))

Other than Small Entity: \$320.00  
 Small Entity: \$160.00

Petition for Extension of Time. Applicant hereby petitions for a 3-Month Extension of Time, to extend the period for response to September 11, 2003.

Extension Fee (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

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Respectfully submitted,  
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